



Half of all known species:

Species 2000 meetings in Paris, 26 May 2006

AGM, and Species 2000 europa Regional Meeting

Species 2000 Annual General Meeting

10.15 - Welcoming participants

10.30 - **Species 2000 Annual General Meeting**, Chair: Dr Peter Schalk (Chairman of the Species 2000 Board)

11.15 - Short presentations: **Half of all known species: Species 2000 and the Catalogue of Life**,
Chair: Dr. Peter H Schalk (Chairman of the Species 2000 Board)

- i) **11.15 - 11.30** **Species 2000 and the continuing europa regional programme**
- Prof Frank Bisby (Executive Director, Species 2000)
- ii) **11.30 - 11.50** **880,000 species in the 2006 Annual Checklist**
- Dr Yuri Roskov (Content Manager, Species 2000)
- iii) **11.50 - 12.10** **The European Register of Marine Species, its governance and integration in global initiatives.** - Dr Edward Vanden Berghe (Database manager ERMS-2, Vlaams Instituut voor de Zee)
- iv) **12.10 - 12.30** **Proposals for further functionality for the Dynamic Checklist**
- Dr Cyril Gallut (Secretary, Species 2000 europa regional programme)

12.30 - Lunch break (cafés and brasseries nearby)

Species 2000 europa Regional Meeting

14.15- Discussion: Continuing activities of the Species 2000 europa regional group.

Chair: Dr Thierry Bourgoïn (Species 2000 Taxonomy Group, and leader of WP4)

Discussants: Dr Cyril Gallut and Dr Adeline Soulier-Perkins

- i) Ongoing activities with the europa database custodians: maintaining wrappers, data standards, extending coverage.
- ii) Work on finishing the remaining unfinished wrappers
- iii) New European databases to join the programme.
- iv) Further developments in the programme (and ideas on when and where to meet again)

16.00 Finish

Address of the meeting: Le grand amphithéâtre d'Entomologie, Laboratoire d'Entomologie, Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle, 45 Rue Buffon, 75005, Paris

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